

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: **WDM CHANNEL EQUALIZATION IN ADD/DROP-CAPABLE
OPTICAL NETWORKS**

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Sir/Madam:

20 In response to the Office Action mailed July 31, 2003, please amend the above-
captioned application as follows and re-examine the application in view of the
amendments and remarks provided.

25 **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2
of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.